

## ABSTRACT OF THE DISCLOSURE

An embodiment of the present invention described in the specification and the drawings is an apparatus and method for code correlation in spread spectrum communication systems. The apparatus receives a data sequence, and offsets the data sequence with a fixed sub-chip delay. The data sequence and the offset data sequence are each despread with a locally generated code sequence. The despread results are summed and accumulated. The accumulated results may then be used to achieve a lower "miss" probability during code correlation.

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